

# Spring Approaching!

These bright, lovely days cheer the people up. THE FARMERS naturally think of preparing for a crop. One thought uppermost in their minds is—

## WHERE SHALL I BUY MY SUPPLIES?

We will assist in answering this question, if they will allow us to show our Goods and quote our prices. It is well known that we carry the largest and best selected Stock of

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In this city. Just now we are pushing Groceries and Farm Supplies

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## We have a Tremendous Stock of Flour.

Can furnish you almost any grade, from the lowest to the highest.

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Varied in grade and price.

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Agents for N. D. Sullivan's Tobaccos—the best known and most popular Tobaccos ever offered the people. Sullivan's Our Own, Sullivan's No. 1, Sullivan's T. C. D., Sullivan's Free and Easy are household brands.

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## Our Dry Goods Stock is Up-to-Date.

We insist upon the people looking to their interests by TRADING WITH US.

Yours truly,

**OSBORNE & PEARSON.**

# MEN'S WEAR!

## CLOTHING

THAT TIME PRONOUNCES BEST!

It isn't for to-day, to-morrow or next week that you buy a Suit of Clothes. Clothes are bought to serve—the longer the better.

The better the Clothes the better they serve, and the better they look, even to the last day.

You can't get service or appearance out of poor workmanship. A thrown-together, pressed-up Suit may look all right for a week; then comes the time of kicks and dissatisfaction.

**Peck's Clothing,**

For which we have secured the agency, is made to serve long and well; to keep its shape; to look dressy as long as you want to wear it.

That's the kind of Clothing it pays to buy.

## IT'S MADE RIGHT.

It's almost an investment to buy it, for a long-wearing Suit pays you back more than its cost.

**C. A. REESE,**

Next to F. and M. Bank, Head-to-Foot Outfitter, ANDERSON, S. C.

## Local News.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25, 1903.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

Good Middling—92.  
Strict Middling—91.  
Middling—90.

To-day is Ash Wednesday, the first day of the season of Lent.

The weather during this month might well be termed "gymnastic."

Miss Ludie Franklin, of Cokesbury, is in the city visiting friends.

A. A. Pearson, of Due West, spent a day or two in Anderson last week.

The early gardener as well as the farmer is getting anxious to go to work.

Prof. P. B. Langston, of Spartanburg, spent a few days in the city last week.

Miss Nettie Barton, of Easley, is in the city visiting her brother, Jas. E. Barton.

Col. J. D. Maxwell, of Charlotte, N. C., spent a few days in the city the past week.

The time for paying the County road tax expires next Saturday. Have you paid yours?

The cold snap last week was about the worst this section has experienced this winter.

Chickenpox, measles and whooping cough are prevalent in some sections of the County.

Miss Florence Bacot, of Portsmouth, Va., is in Anderson visiting her uncle, E. W. Taylor.

The Episcopal Church at Calhoun Falls was blown down by the storm on Monday, 16th inst.

Our young friend, Harris Todd, of Columbia, spent last Sunday in the city visiting his mother.

Thus far 1903 is decidedly short on clear weather. There have been but few days of that kind.

Wallace S. Norris, of Jackson, Ga., has been spending a few days in Anderson visiting relatives.

Col. J. M. Patrick came up from Columbia last Saturday to spend a few days at home with his family.

The cold snap was a blessing to the fruit crop, as it will prevent, it is to be hoped, the sap rising too early.

The calendars announce that spring is not far distant, but there is no let-up visible in the coal and wood bill.

The Court of Common Pleas convenes next Monday. Jurors and witnesses should be on hand promptly.

Dr. Ralph Edwards has accepted a lucrative position with a drug company at Pelzer, S. C.—Orangeburg Patriot.

During the past week M. L. Willis, of this city, has received orders for three pianos from citizens of Greenville.

J. C. Smith, of Greenville, has been spending a few days in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Quantelbaum.

There is a great scarcity of shoats hereabouts and those having them are not disposed to sell them for love or money.

W. B. Magruder will reach the city to-day or to-morrow with a fine lot of mules, which he will sell cheap. See advertisement.

While the young man's thoughts will soon lightly turn to love, the young woman's will turn to Easter hats and Spring dresses.

County Auditor Boleman publishes a list of the Township Boards of Assessors in another column. Every taxpayer should read it.

It is generally about as difficult to tell what sort of weather we had a year or two ago, as it is to forecast the weather that is to be.

Archer & Norris have a new advertisement in this paper and we advise you to read it carefully if you need anything in their line.

Mrs. Josie Seligman has just returned from New York, where she bought for Lesser & Co. a large stock of railinery goods for the Spring trade.

Miss Lizzelle Willie, who is attending Chiora Female College in Greenville, spent last Saturday and Sunday at her home in this city visiting her parents.

The base ball days will soon be here, and life will cease to have charms for the umpire. The young men of the city are already discussing the matter of organizing a team.

Last Thursday J. S. Fowler sold 350 bales of cotton to S. D. Brownlee, representing the Pelzer Cotton Mills, at 94 cents for the entire lot, aggregating a total sum of about \$16,500.

B. F. Wilson has been reappointed Magistrate in this city, and J. C. C. Featherston has been appointed to succeed A. H. Dagnall, who was not a candidate for reappointment.

The dry weather is causing the mud disappear rapidly from the streets, the street haulers are at work, and in a few days vehicles can traverse any part of the city without difficulty.

Rev. H. R. Murchison and family have gone to Edgefield County to visit relatives. Mr. Murchison will return home the latter part of this week but his family will spend several weeks down there.

Messrs. Rufus Lat & Bro. have purchased the stock and plant of the Anderson Printing and Stationery Company and will continue the business at the old stand, in addition to their present business on Whitner street.

Mrs. F. G. Brown and Mrs. J. L. McGee are spending this week at Washington, D. C., attending the national convention of Daughters of the American Revolution as delegates from the Catechee Chapter of this city.

Harry A. Orr and wife have gone to Atlanta, Ga., where the former has accepted the position of manager of the General Electric Company. We join their many friends in wishing them much success in their new home.

Rev. W. P. Holland, formerly of this County, has moved from Westminster to Greenville, where he has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Riverside Baptist Church. We join his many friends in wishing him much success in his new field of labor.

Blue birds have made their appearance in this vicinity during the last few days. The return of these birds to our more northerly climate presages an early spring. They don't leave their winter home in the far south until the cold of winter is past.

Miss Clara Murchison of Washington, D. C., who has been spending several weeks in Anderson visiting the family of her uncle, Rev. H. R. Murchison, has returned home. She has many friends who stay here, and all of them regretted to see her leave.

Rev. J. W. Bailey, of the Starr and Iva Circuit, Anderson County, is assisting Rev. J. I. Sparks in a protracted meeting at the Walhalla Cotton Mills Chapel, which began on Monday night. The meeting will continue throughout this week and perhaps longer.—Keowee Courier.

Fire destroyed the barn of Felix Martin, in Pendleton Township, Sunday night about 10 o'clock. The stock was rescued, but all of the roughness and other feed and some valuable farming utensils were destroyed. It was not learned whether there was any insurance on the building.

The annual oratorical contest of the South Carolina Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Association will be held this year in Greenwood. The time appointed is Friday, April 24. The judges selected are Gov. D. C. Heyward, Rev. John B. Shelton, of Chester, and Gen. M. L. Bonham, of this city.

The wheat and oat crops were in good condition and making some growth when the cold wave came. We trust that the hard freeze will not materially damage them. They were generally carefully planted and fertilized and to have them killed would cause a great loss to careful farmers.

Mrs. James L. Beard died at the home of her son, Rev. J. E. Beard, in Pendleton, on Tuesday, 19th inst. She was an aged lady and formerly lived in Columbia, but for the past year has made her home with her son in Pendleton. The remains were carried to Columbia and interred in Elmwood cemetery.

W. T. Mattison, a well-known and respected colored man who lives a few miles north of here, sold his plantation to Mr. M. M. Shirley, and will move his family to Arkansas next week. He is a hard working, honest citizen and the people of this section, irrespective of color, regret that he has decided to move away.—Honea Path Chronicle.

Mrs. Mary Powell, wife of J. M. Powell, died at her home at the Anderson Cotton Mill last Monday afternoon, aged 33 years. She had been in feeble health for some time, and her death was expected by her friends and family. The remains were carried to her former home in Hart County, Ga., and interred. A devoted husband and nine children survive her.

Next Sunday will be communion day at both Smith's Chapel and Cedar Grove Church, in Fork Township. Services will be held at Smith's Chapel at 11 o'clock a. m. and at Cedar Grove at 3 o'clock p. m. There will also be preaching at Smith's Chapel next Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. M. B. Kelly, of this city, will conduct the services at both places. The friends of the congregations are cordially invited to attend the services.

A meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock of the Granolithic Roofing and Insulating Co. was held in this city last Monday and organized by electing the following Board of Directors: J. J. Fretwell, R. E. Ligon, J. F. Pant, F. G. Brown, J. T. Burris, W. S. Dwyer and J. A. Hall. The Directors then elected the following officers: President, J. T. Burris; Vice President, R. E. Ligon; Secretary, J. N. Bleckley. The company will at once erect its plant and commence the manufacture of roofing.

Mrs. Eliza Skelton met with a painful accident yesterday morning. Stopping to pick up something as she started to the breakfast table, she lost her balance, fell on her left shoulder and broke her collar bone. The shock and pain made her quite sick for a few moments, causing her to faint, but she soon rallied and has suffered very little pain from it since. Mrs. Skelton will soon be 64 years old. It will be remembered that she suffered a partial stroke of paralysis several years ago and the broken bone is on the same side.

Last Thursday, 19th inst., was the 30th anniversary of the organization of the order of Knights of Pythias of the world. Chiquola Lodge, No. 33, of this city, celebrated the occasion by attending the John Methodist Church Sunday night in a body and listening to a sermon on Pythianism by the pastor, Rev. M. B. Kelly, who is a member of the order. The church was filled to its utmost seating capacity, and Mr. Kelly's address was both eloquent and impressive, and exceedingly appropriate to the occasion.

Miss Eliza Addis died at the home of her mother, W. J. McClure, in Centerville Township, last Friday, 19th inst. She was about 78 years of age, and a most excellent, Christian woman, having long been a devoted member of the Baptist Church. She was highly respected by a wide circle of friends who deeply regret her death. On Saturday the remains were interred in the new Prospect Churchyard, Rev. W. B. Hawkins conducting the funeral services. Four sisters, one brother and many other relatives are left to cherish her memory.

James A. Gantt, Jr., formerly of this County, died at his home at Lavenia, Ga., on Wednesday night, 19th inst. He had been in feeble health several months. The remains were brought to this County last Friday and interred at Smith's Chapel, near his old home. Mr. Gantt was a son of James A. Gantt, of Fork Township, where he was born, reared and lived until about two years ago, when he moved to Georgia. He was about 42 years of age, and a most worthy, upright man, whose death is deeply deplored by a wide circle of friends. A devoted wife and two little children survive him.

The alarm of fire at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning carried the fire department to the residence of C. A. Reed on North Main street. His large barn in rear of his dwelling was in a blaze and burned to the ground before the flames could be checked. The dwelling was badly damaged but did not catch. The loss is estimated at \$200 with \$400 insurance. It is thought that the fire was incendiary. A negro was seen at the barn shortly before the blaze was discovered who was thought to be the person who set the barn on fire, but it developed later that the person was at the time in the house at breakfast. This is the second barn to burn on the identical spot within the last two years. Six or eight horses were in the barn but all were rescued.

An alarm of fire was sent in from the residence of H. H. Acker, on South Main street, between 1 and 2 o'clock last Friday afternoon. The fire was in a lot of cotton stored in the back yard. Eight bales were blazing when the fire department arrived. The fire was soon extinguished, but as bales of cotton singed or burnt over are not merchantable to manufacture of cotton cloth and sold, generally, at a sacrifice, the loss will probably be about \$250. There was no insurance. The origin of the fire is said to have been the striking of a match by one of several little boys playing on the cotton. The

cotton burned was a lot of 25 bales which was being housed and sold that day to the Orr Cotton Mills.

A telegram was received in this city Monday announcing the death of Whit. H. Palmer, in Phoenix, Arizona, Sunday night last. The remains will be shipped here for interment. It will be remembered that the deceased left this place for Arizona about a month ago, believing that the change of climate would prove beneficial and perhaps cure the dread malady, consumption, with which he was suffering. The wife, formerly Miss Wright, and one child survive. They did not accompany the deceased to Arizona but remained here anxiously awaiting his return. Mr. Palmer was a son of the late Thomas H. Palmer and about 36 years of age. He was an upright citizen and enjoyed the full confidence of the people. The entire community sympathize with the bereaved wife and her little one.

### Denver Dots.

"After the storm a calm" is a proverb which we have the pleasure of verifying just now. The storm of rain on the 16th, with the high winds that visited this section without doing any serious damage. Of course, it was not as severe here as it was in other places, or we would not have fared so well. We had intense cold for a few days afterwards, but the temperature gradually rose until to-day (Monday) we're having real spring-like weather.

Farmers are busy hauling off fertilizers, and did not lose a day during the bad weather, except when it was pouring down rain. From 25 to 50 wagons are here every day to get the fragrant (f) stuff. More than 150 tons have been hauled away already, and don't suppose they are half done yet.

It is too late now to sow spring oats, and that sown in the fall has been injured to some extent by recent heavy freezes. It is feared that wheat has been injured too.

This morning Jake Mangum's horse slipped the bridle and then ran with the wagon to which he was hitched. The wagon was smashed all to pieces but no one was hurt, as there was no one in it when the horse ran.

A young daughter of Tal. Phillips was badly burned the night of the 17th. She was standing before the fire reading when her dress caught from the flames, which speedily enveloped her body. Her parents ran to her and succeeded in putting out the fire before she was fatally injured, but got their hands badly scorched while doing so.

John Smith had a fine horse to die last week from blind staggers. He telephoned to Clemson for a veterinarian to dissect the dead animal, and see if he could ascertain the cause of the disease. If they can do that it will not be hard to find a remedy for it. It is high time something was done to prevent or cure this disease, which is killing so many good horses.

Clifford Burris, formerly of Mountain Creek but now holding a position as stenographer for a firm at Piedmont, was the guest of Wm. McWhorter's family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Farmer and children, of Anderson, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elrod last Thursday.

Miss Mary Chapman, the able assistant in our High School, visited her parents at Anderson Saturday.

Miss Bessie McWhorter left for Anderson to-day to take a position as stenographer for Messrs. Brock and Ligon at the Anderson Cotton Mill.

Prof. Elgin, of Lebanon, boarded the train here Saturday for a short visit to his parents near New Orleans.

Rev. Connor Burns, of Santuc, is visiting his old home and parents near Sandy Springs. He has many friends here who are glad to see him.

Nearly 200 bales of cotton were bought in this vicinity and shipped from this place last week. It brought 9 cts. per pound without regard to grading, and was nearly all bought by F. M. Cary, of Seneca.

Gardens will be late this year as the soil has not been dry enough to plant anything since Christmas. But soon as it will do the early vegetables will be planted and rushed to maturity by good cultivation. In the meantime housewives are busy seeing hens and taking off the downy broods, and we will soon have fried chicken to eat.

Incongruity.

### Letter to J. M. Sullivan.

Anderson, S. C.

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Paint is saved; labor is saved; and the "painting nuisance" is made half as frequent.

When Devco Lead and Zinc is established in Anderson, Anderson will get more out of it than we shall.

Yours truly,  
F. W. Devco & Co.,  
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FOR SALE.—Two first rate cottages on South Main street at low figures. One to rent.

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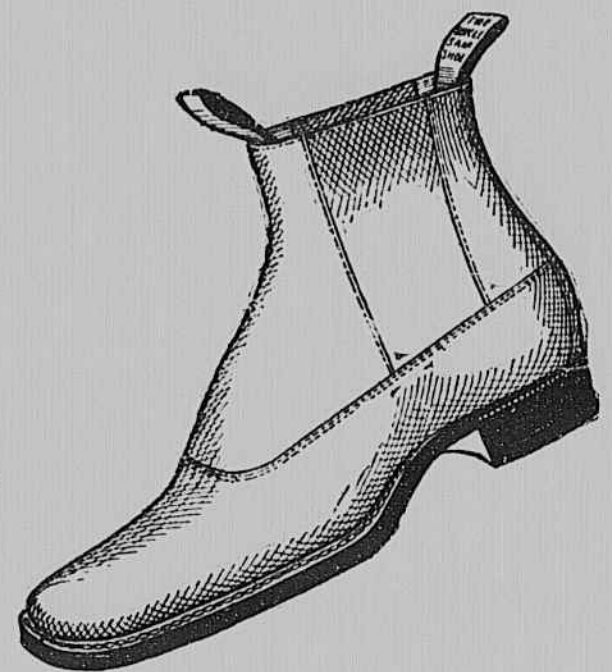
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